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Docket No.: 071030-0025

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Alan J. WITTEN : Confirmation Number: 9133
Application No.: 10/769,965 : Group Art Unit: 3662
Filed: February 02, 2004 : Examiner: B. E. Gregory
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IDENTIFYING BURIED OBJECTS USING
GROUND PENETRATING RADAR

RESPONSE TO QUAYLE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Examiner has found the oath or declaration to be defective because it does not identify the city and either the state or foreign country of residence as well as the mailing address of the inventor. Attached to this response is an Application Data Sheet setting forth the missing residence and mailing address of the sole inventor, Alan Witten. The undersigned contacted the Office regarding what was needed to respond to the Quayle letter. Mr. Witten is deceased and died during the prosecution of the application. The undersigned was advised that an adequate response to the Quayle Action would be to file the Application Data Sheet and provide the missing information identified by the Examiner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.76(d) and MPEP §602.01. Therefore, it is believed that this reply is fully responsive to the Quayle Action.

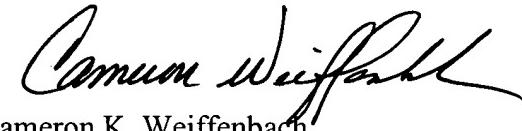
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If there are any outstanding issues that might be resolved by an interview or an Examiner's amendment, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at the telephone number shown below.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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